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The Honorable Chief Judge Mark L. Wolf United States District Court 1 Courthouse Way Boston, Massachusetts 02210

Re:

United States v. Cruz, et al.

Criminal No. 05-30042-MLW

Dear Chief Judge Wolf:

According to the pretrial order in this case, fact stipulations are due from the parties today. This letter is simply to notify the Court that the parties are currently negotiating a stipulation regarding Government's Exhibit 8, but cannot finalize its terms today. Counsel will be prepared to confirm the stipulation at tomorrow's pretrial conference.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Sharron Kearney, AUSA Counsel of Record (by fax)